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1. An east-bound convoy of 10 trucks, 3 jeeps, 12 armored personnel carriers and 18 sidecar motorcycles was observed in Neustadt (M 51/J 84), heading along the Gera (M 51/K 06) - Saalfeld (M 51/J 53) road, at about 7 p.m. on 22 March 1950. With the exception of the armored personnel carriers, the motor vehicles were occupied to capacity by troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets.

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The white marking [REDACTED] was observed on their left sidewalls and on the rear walls to the right. *

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2. A large convoy, including tanks, passed through Arnstadt (M 51/J 25) the night of 22 March 1950 and proceeded toward Ohrdruf (M 51/J 15). Because of the darkness only the following four

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* Convoy of the 39th Gds Itz Rifle Div, [REDACTED] The direction of 25X1A travel (east) indicates a practice march of a component unit of this division.

** Other units of the 39th Gds Itz Rifle Div arrived in the Ohrdruf area from a southerly direction at the same time.

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